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## Vaughn's Mill.

Miss Carrie Barnett is very sick at this writing.

Mr. Dill Berryman and wife are the guests of her brother, Richard Barnett, this week.

Misses Iva and Ethel McKnight, of Beattyville, are visiting relatives at this place.

Mr. E. G. Wills, of Harrodsburg, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Will Jackson, this week.

Miss Betsy Jackson spent this week with her parents, it being institute week in Clark county.

Married, at the residence of Edd Charles Friday night, Mr. Danny Strange to Miss Eliza Neal, of Little Creek.

Born, to the wife of John Burton last Tuesday night a fine boy. The youngster is known as Clark Douglas Burtn.

Miss Annie McKinney, of Elkin, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. L. Jackson, for the past week, returned home Sunday.

The Vaughn's Mill school which is being taught by Mrs. G. S. Mize went up last Friday to spell against Prof. J. L. Jones' school on upper Hardwick's creek. The so called victory, was won by Prof. Jones' school. But the children of this district do not think it was justly won, for they say Mr. Jones having taught here the whole five months last year could not possibly have taught the pupils of that district more in two months than he did them the whole session.

## School Report.

The following is the roll of honor for the first school month at Corinth district, No. 10, ending Aug. 25th, 1899.

PRIMARY GRADE.—Alfred Walters, 88; Matt Thomas, 87; Sarah Horn, 87; Hubert Stephens, 87; Ernest Christopher, 87; Clarence Winburn, 86; James Winburn, 86; Lillie Berryman, 85; Effie Larason, 87; Dudley Berryman, 82; Effie Wills, 87; Sherman Stephens, 82; Lizzie Stephens, 82; Robert Haul, 82; Maud Horn, 80; Mary Thomas, 83.

FIRST GRADE.—Bretz Stephens, 89; Rupert Haul, 84; Thomas Larason, 85; John Haul, 83; Richard Haul, 83; Sam Christopher, 78; Huston Hawkins, 83.

SECOND GRADE.—Ellen Horn, 81; John Smith, 82; Susie Winburn, 80; Briny Walters, 83; Cleveland Walters, 83.

THIRD GRADE.—Annie Thomas, 88; Lizzie Fluty, 88; Allie Fluty, 85; Lytta Stephens, 85; Nannie Stephens, 85; Mary Horn, 88; Willie Witt, 82; Charley Stephens, 83; Bradley Stephens, 83; Wily Christopher, 83.

FOURTH GRADE.—Rosie Stephens,

88; Lou Stephens, 83; Littleton Horn, 80; Thomas Christopher, 88; Charley Hawkins, 88.

FIFTH GRADE.—Allen Stephens, 89; Jesse Thomas, 89; Pleas Stephens, 88; Thomas Stephens, 85; Sidney Winburn, 84; Thomas Fluty, 83.

ADVANCED GRADE.—Athur Stephens, 94; Ollie Stephens, 90; Lullie Stephens, 90; Russell Thomas, 90; Callie Wills, 90; Lena Witt, 88; Robert Christopher, 89; Nettie Witt, 87; Scott Thomas, 85; Claude Witt, 85; John Williams, 80.

Bob Berryman, teacher.

## Republican Convention.

The Republicans of this county met in mass convention at Irvine last Thursday and selected delegates to attend the joint convention to nominate a candidate for Representative and a candidate for Senator. Judge W. H. Lilly was instructed for Representative, and John Bennett, of Richmond, for State Senator. The following resolutions were passed by the convention:

1. That we approve of the time and place and purpose of this convention.
2. That we reaffirm our allegiance to the time-honored principles of the Republican party as enunciated in their platform at St. Louis in 1896, save plank as to civil service, and we indorse in its entirety the administration of President Wm. McKinley.
3. We indorse the Republican State platform of Kentucky and commend it and the candidates thereon to the whole people of Kentucky, inspection of party, and call upon them to rally to the standard borne by Gen. Taylor, and thereby electing him, repeal the iniquitous Democratic legislation, fought with danger to the liberties and property of the people.
4. That in Hon. John Bennett, the Republicans of Estill and the 29 Senatorial district have had an efficient, sagacious and wise leader, and an able legislator, and we unanimously call upon him to again lead the party to victory in this Senatorial district, and we hereby instruct our delegates to cast their votes for him and insist upon his candidacy.
5. That inasmuch as Estill county gave to Powell the Legislative candidate in 1897, and gave him a unanimous majority, and it now succeeds to Estill county to name the candidate, we therefore instruct our delegates to cast their votes in joint convention for the Hon. W. H. Lilly, of Irvine, Estill county, believing that in him the district would have a legislator wise, able and efficient, and one who would carry the standard to victory in November.

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legates will be appointed to attend the two conventions and cast the vote of Estill county as instructed: J. A. Wallace, L. A. West, C. F. Masters, Joe Hamilton, C. F. Tharp, Ebb Reems, Stephen Daniels, J. P. Alumbaugh, N. D. Wireman, L. H. Flyn and all other good Republicans.

A dispatch from Mt. Sterling in a Cincinnati paper says: "More than 50 houses have been burned by incendiaries here during the past year. It is believed that friends of Tom Blair, who was taken from jail here and lynched several years ago, are thus getting revenge."

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In Pulaski county Walter Anderson, while out squirrel hunting with his fourteen-year-old son, left the boy to guard some squirrels while he hunted another. When he returned he found the boy dead, he having been shot in the back with a load of buckshot. The boy had no gun and no one else was seen by the father although he heard the shot.

My dear friend, take the Owl's advice and stop worrying. If you have a little farm and are out of debt, don't fret and work yourself and good wife into premature graves for the sake of getting more land and making more money. You have but one life to live, and it is a very brief one at the best. Take a little comfort as you go along day by day, and try to do a little good to others. A morbid, insatiate desire to possess the earth, to grab everything in sight, lies at the foundation of more unhappiness in this world than any other one thing. After you are gone the world will not long remember you by the size of the estate you have left behind you, but a good life well lived will long keep your memory green.—Richmond Pantagraph.

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